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ITS GLORY ALL GONE

Melancholy Fate of a Famous American Frigate.

Forgotten, the President Lies at a London Dock—Was One of the Finest Fighting Ships That Ever Flew Our Flag.

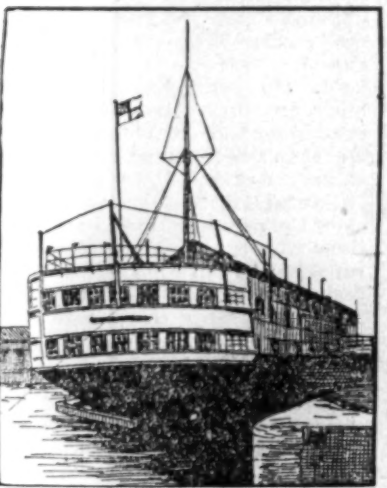
Never again will there be a war between England and America. This is the very confident prediction of the statesmen of the two great English-speaking nations. More than ordinary interest attaches, therefore, to the once famous Yankee frigate President, whose guns were among the last to be trained by Americans on the flag of England. For nearly a century this trophy of the final armed conflict between the two countries has rested in English waters. Few are the Americans who know that one of the most renowned fighting ships of the early days of the republic—a sister-ship of the beloved Constitution, of which Oliver Wendell Holmes wrote the stirring lines:

"As! Tear has battered ensign down
Long has it waved on high—"

Yes, unhonored and forgotten, in a London dock. Just a century ago this winter the President, newly launched from a New York shipyard, was in the Mediterranean as the American navy's first flagship on the European station. The contrast between her and the present American flagship, the steel-clad Illinois, is as great as that between the young republic of those days and the mighty America of to-day.

Little does the President look like a fighting ship to-day as she lies in the West India docks, denuded of masts and spars and carrying a house on her deck. But, says the London Graphic, in the early years of the past century, when England was embroiled in the Napoleonic conflict, and had little desire for a dispute with the states, the fleet-footed Yankee frigate circled the British Isles, challenging every craft that flew the British flag. Such a scourge was she to British shipping that the admiralty issued a special circular to the navy that the President must be captured at all hazards.

How America's first European flagship came to fly Britain's flag is a



STERN OF THE "PRESIDENT."
(Once Upon a Time She Was the Pride of Our Navy.)

story of Anglo-Saxon courage and daring. It was on the night of January 14, 1815, that the President, having just returned from "bearding the lion in his den," was chased into Long Island sound, near New York harbor, by a British fleet. In command of her was the adventurous Decatur, whose capture and burning of the Philadelphia in the harbor of Tripoli in 1804 Nelson pronounced the "most daring act of the age." At daybreak on the 15th, the President, having grounded and strained herself during the night, was again under sail. Decatur then discovered that four of the enemy's ships were in pursuit, one on each quarter and two astern. At noon the breeze fell. The Yankee frigate was almost waterlogged.

A favoring breeze brought on the Endymion, the most powerful of the pursuing fleet. She opened fire with her bow chasers, to which Decatur replied with his stern battery. This running fight continued for two hours and the Endymion was so disabled that she avoided Decatur's efforts to come to close quarters. For hours the two ships sailed side by side, firing occasional guns. But towards midnight two fresh English ships, the Pomone and the Tenedos, crawled up and opened fire on the President at close range. Decatur was compelled to strike his colors. His loss was 24 killed and 55 wounded.

The loss of the President was investigated by a court-martial, but Decatur was exonerated of blame. "In this unequal contest the enemy gained a ship, but the victory was ours," the court found. "We fear we cannot express in a manner that will do justice to our feelings our admiration of the conduct of Commodore Decatur and all under his command."

The President was sent to Bermuda, and from there she was brought to England by the Endymion, whose captain was rewarded by the king. For 35 years the President lay at Portsmouth, where she

was the model for several British frigates. Later she was at Chatham, and some time in the '60's she became a drill ship at the West India docks. There she has rested for 40 years, and on her ancient gun deck, where once American sailors gave their lives for their flag, British blue-jackets are now instructed in the art of modern naval warfare. One mark only does she bear of her American origin—the figurehead of John Adams, the second president of the republic, on her prow.

Negro Labor in Factories.

Prof. Jerome Dowd, a prominent sociologist, formerly of Trinity College, North Carolina, now of the University of Wisconsin, writes as follows of negro factory labor in the Southern States for November.

"Work in manufacturing lines is becoming more intensive and requires, for success, men who are not skilled, but who live an orderly life and have acquired special traits of character. Character is coming to be the paramount factor in all lines of activity. The chief difference between races, nations, and individuals is in character, rather than in intellect. The Greeks were mighty in intellect, but they succumbed to the corruptions of the flesh. Even the French people acknowledge their own deficiency in ability to give the prolonged attention and to exercise the patience and self-restraint so necessary to factory life; and hence I do not hesitate to say that the negro has not yet reached the stage of development which fits him for manufacturing occupations. This statement should not shock the most optimistic of the negro race, for the reason that after a century of trial the white man is hardly yet qualified for such work.

"The great problem for the negro, as for all races of men, is the building of character. It is only the moral race that makes progress. Teaching the negro to read and write is not solving the problem of his destiny. He must be established in those occupations which correspond to his stage of development. With the proper industrial footing, he cannot have too much literary or other knowledge. The greatest mistake that the Negro has made in the past (a mistake made by most white people) has been the attempt to start at the top instead of at the bottom. I think that the avenues should be kept open for any exceptionally endowed negro to reach the very summit of human attainment, but for the great mass of the race, the most rapid lines of advance lie in the direction of agricultural pursuits.

YOUNG COLORED MEN.

From the colored citizen.

The Young Men's Manhattan Club, a Republican organization, of the 27th Assembly District, was organized for the improvement and advancement of young colored men. They have always supported the Republican ticket, but being so unjustly treated by the Republican party have abandoned the party and joined the rank and file of the United Colored Democracy, believing it the best party for the colored man's future.

DR. B. J. BOLDEN.

One of the Most Scholarly Pastors in the Country—Orator and Writer.

One of the most distinguished Pastors in the country is Rev. B. J. Bolden, pastor of the John Wesley Church, Rev. Bolden came to this city about three years ago, entirely unknown to the people. Since his stay in the city he has made many friends and has accomplished a great deal for the church of which he is pastor. The John Wesley Church and its members are old landmarks of Washington. Before the old church was sold on Connecticut ave. the people had concluded that the time never would come for them to leave that spot. Rev. Bolden, who is a man of thorough business tact was doing all in his power to get a good price for the church. He at last succeeded and obtained a good price and made equally as good a bargain when he purchased the Berean Baptist Church. Aside from his business qualifications he is a scholar and orator. He is an editor of no mean ability. He has written the editor of some influential paper connected with the A. M. E. Z. THE BEE has always admired Rev. Bolden for his ability and great business qualifications. More may be said after the dedicatory exercises of his church.

Mr. Clarkson's Advice.

From the Southwestern Christian Advocate.

It is announced that the President has reversed what was understood to be his policy toward the Negro in politics, and that on Mr. Clarkson's advice the black man will not be thrown overboard because the Lily Whites desire it so. If we are to judge by the feeling which we find existing among the colored voters of the North, the change comes none too soon. No one can tell, even yet what a week can bring forth, but we hope to see the Republicans win in the congressional elections next week.

OUR SCHOOLS.

Matters Before the Board of Education.

There was a full attendance at the regular meeting of the board of education at the Franklin building Wednesday evening.

The secretary announced that the board appointed J. Gray to first grade

teacher at the Bancker school. Anna Lynch as substitute kindergarten teacher for the seventh and eighth divisions. Miss Madeline P. Morris as substitute grade teacher, and Julia B. Stromberger at \$500 per annum. K. C. Lewis was transferred from the eighth grade principalship of the Jones School to the principalship of the Garnet School.

Other changes in the schools were announced as follows:

E. A. Chase, seventh grade, principalship of Jones School; L. S. Chase, to principalship of Slater; M. E. Bruce from sixth grade, Slater, to seventh grade, Garnet School; K. R. Martin, from fifth grade, Patterson School, to Slater School; M. V. Ruby, from fourth grade, Garnet School, to fifth grade, Patterson School; J. A. Young, from second grade, Patterson School, to third grade, Garnet; J. Barney, from first grade, Bancker School, to second grade, Patterson School.

The following promotions were ordered: M. O. H. Williams, from third grade, Garnet School, to fourth grade, Garnet School; N. S. Burke, from \$475 to \$550; A. M. Nelson, from \$450 to \$475; E. C. Beadle, from \$400 to \$550; M. A. Murphy, from third to fourth grade, and from \$500 to \$575; K. D. Jones, from \$575 to \$600.

The resignations of the following



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Teachers were accepted: Edna M. Bell, third division, second grade; L. Cook, eighth grade, principal of Garnet School; Antoinette Clements, fourth grade; eighth division.

LOWER COURT REVERTED.

Page & Coffin of Capitol Restaurants Win on Appeal.

The Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia late this afternoon handed down the decision in the case of Theodore L. Page and Warren I. Coffin, keepers of the restaurant in the Capitol. The opinion was rendered by Chief Justice Alvey. The judgment of the courts below were reversed, and the case remanded in order that the information may be quashed.

Page and Coffin were convicted in the Police Court of a violation of the liquor license law of the District. A fine of \$300 was imposed on each defendant. In his opinion the chief justice said, that provisions of the act regulating the sale of liquors in the District would appear to negative the contention that the act was intended to apply to the Capitol restaurants.

The restaurants have been in operation for nearly half a century. The court was of the opinion that if Congress had intended to embrace the Capitol restaurants in the act regulating the sale of liquors it would have been expressly declared.

In the opinion of the court there was no foundation for prosecution.

PEOPLE AND PRESS.

From the Seattle Republican.

Both the people and the press are giving President Roosevelt a whole lot of "credit" just now. While "your credit is good" you should lay Mr. President, lest there come a time some day when it won't be so good.

TIME ENOUGH.

From the Defender.

When the Democratic party displays an interest in an honest ballot by permitting colored Republicans in the South to vote without fear of violence, it will betime enough for the citizens of Pennsylvania to believe in their professions of political honesty.

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THE NEGRO PROBLEM.

HOW IT APPEALS TO A SOUTHERN WHITE WOMAN.

From The Independent.

I am a southern woman, thirty-five years of age, married, and the mother of one child. I have lived in the South all my life in what is known as the "black belt," and I know the negro from tradition and experience.

This latter statement, however, does not include the "cultivated" negro, who I should say, bears about the same relation to his race that a hybrid conservatory plant does to the barbaric thorn upon which it was originally grafted. His scholarship always reminds me of what florists call the "forcing process." Caught up by the beneficent influences of civilization, not his own, he is coaxed into a higher grade of existence than is natural to him. And from the southern point of view he becomes thoroughly contemptible, not only because he has the contagion of a mean, unheroic discontent in him which makes him a dangerous firebrand rather than a wise, self-sacrificing leader among his own people, but because he is nearly always a snob to the white man, desires to live in the same house with him, sleep in

enings. He was an apt pupil and learned to write so nearly like his preceptor that when he forged an order for a suit of clothes my father thought it best to pay the bill and to settle with his *protege* privately. This he did in characteristic Southern fashion—with the better part of a buggy whip!

Such justice is not unusual in the South even to this day, and it was my father's way of dealing with the blacks on his place. He never prosecuted one of them, and if the miscreant happened to be the head of a family, he was made to work out a suitable "repentance" in the cotton fields. Thus when "Uncle Billy" panned nine fat shoats under his cabin and devoured four of them before his theft was detected cheerfully released the remaining five and sent his half-crown son to "work out" the value of the four martyred pigs, plus thirty days for moral effect—a vicarious punishment, so far as "Uncle Billy" was concerned, but he argued to my father that the lesson might do the young man good.

And it may interest northern readers to learn that this typical southerner always "voted" every negro man on his place. I do not know what would have happened if one had failed to vote for the "right man," as no such contingency ever arose. The "white primary" has simplified many problems in the South since then. B sides, the negro has discovered that his citizenship has a financial value, and his vote is now on the market for sale to the highest bidder. Never in the days of slavery was he bought and sold more ruthlessly than he is today in the South to serve the political ends of white men.

To the idealist who imagines that the negro has in him the making of a virtuous citizen such a state of affairs is beyond belief. But it is well enough to bear in mind that in the South the white man's relations to the negro are not based upon ideals or justice even. With us it is a question of self-preservation and a determination on the part of the fittest to survive the whole decalog of virtues perish in the struggle. Our evils grow out of this race consciousness of impending danger, and we are ready to tempt or destroy rather than to endure even a hand to hand political contamination with the negro. We prefer to be damned by our own sins and not by their companionship. For this reason there is more likelihood of black supremacy fifty years hence in New England than there ever will be in the South. Protected and humored by the sentimentality of northern friends the negro will eventually have the wit to migrate in that direction and avail himself of the situation, first religiously, afterward socially and politically, as they are now said to control the State of Ohio. But from our point of view, being white at all is so everlastingly better than being "colored" that we are never likely to be betrayed into forgetting the race trust we have in our keeping.

(To be Continued.)

TAKEN AS AN OMEN.

When the Hangman's Rope Broke
All His Neighbors Said Purdy
Was Innocent.

"Although I never saw but one hanging, I witnessed a sight that even professional hangmen have not seen," said A. A. Albrecht, of Columbus, Miss., to a Denver Post reporter. "It was at my home. A young Mississippian named Purdy had been convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to hang. The evidence was wholly circumstantial, and before he was accused of that crime the young man had borne an excellent reputation. He was also connected by marriage with some of the best people in the state.

"Nevertheless, he was sentenced to hang and the governor would not reprieve him. There were two factions in the community, one believing him guilty, and the other considering him innocent. The latter talked of rescue, but it was all talk.

"The scaffold was not inclosed and when young Purdy ascended the gallows he walked erect and fearless. He denied his guilt, and all who saw him were compelled to admit his bearing was that of an innocent man. The black cap was pulled over his face, the sheriff pulled a lever, and the next we saw was a man getting up from the ground, snatching the black cap from his head and declaring dramatically: 'God has proved my innocence.'

"The rope had broken. That was enough. Former enemies turned into adherents, and before the sheriff could again take his prisoner to the gallows and get another rope he was in the center of a crowd of thousands of people, all of whom were swearing there were not sheriffs enough in Mississippi to hang an innocent man.

"Purdy was taken home, and an escort of 250 armed and determined men went with him and remained until there was no danger of any further proceedings being taken. Without any legal formalities the matter was allowed to drop, and Purdy is living 15 miles from Columbia, respected and happy.

"Joy almost killed his wife when she saw him alive at the time she expected his corpse to be brought home. To say Purdy is guilty is now almost as much as a man's life is worth down there."

Pleasant Dyspepsia Cure.

A pleasant cure for dyspepsia is announced by Dr. Benjamin E. Andrews, of the University of Nebraska. He enthusiastically declares that in seven cases out of ten ice cream will certainly cure dyspepsia and strengthen the stomach.

BURNING SOFT COAL.

Handling of Bituminous Fuel Must Be Studied Carefully.

But If Directions Here Given Are Heeded, Houses May Easily Be Kept Warm—Top Draft Is Necessary Always.

How many people understand how to burn soft coal? Of course, the problem presents but little difficulty when proper furnaces and specially prepared grates are installed for the purpose, but when, as in this instance, one turns hurriedly from hard to the soft fuel with the determination to make present fixings do something more than a will is required to find the way. Of course, there is a way and it is simple enough in reality, but it is a very different way from that which must be employed with anthracite.

In the feed door of every furnace there is a slide damper to admit air over the fire. When anthracite is used this is opened only if it is desired to deaden the fire and lower the temperature of the house. With soft coal it must be left open all the time.

The great volume of gases evolved from it in the coking process, which is the first stage in its combustion, calls for more air than can be had through the body of fuel, and unless this is supplied above the fire the greatest value of the fuel is lost up the chimney in unconsumed gases.

Too much air for good combustion can be admitted over the fire, but it is not likely to be the case if the slide damper in the feed door of a furnace built for anthracite is left wide open all the time. The draft opening in the ash pit, on the other hand, needs to be less widely and continuously open than for anthracite.

With the same amount of bottom draft which it is customary to give hard coal, soft coal would simulate the combustion in a blast furnace and call for constant stoking. The householders must also remember that the check draft in the smoke pipe, which with anthracite is usually kept open in moderate weather, cannot be opened much if any with soft coal, or the house will fill with smoke.

The best way is to leave it closed altogether. With the attention to

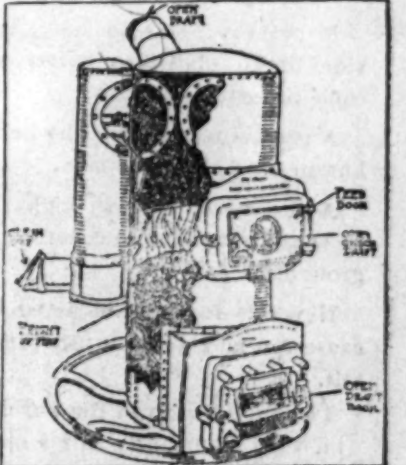


DIAGRAM OF FURNACE.
(Showing How the Various Drafts Should Be Manipulated.)

these details, which reverse the customary practice with anthracite, a furnace may be run on bituminous coal so as to keep a house entirely comfortable.

To the novice perhaps the most difficult problem will be in keeping the fire going all night, but even this is easy when one knows how to do it. In this case the first requisite is one or two big lumps of coal, big enough between them to cover completely the entire surface of the fire, then slack must be heaped high over this and beaten or pressed down into as solid a mass as possible. A fire thus fixed will burn from 12 to 14 hours in most cases. The product of some coal mines, however, burns quicker than that which is dug from other districts, and it may be necessary, therefore, to dampen the top of the fuel and scatter a plentiful supply of ashes over the top.

The idea, it will be readily seen, is to shut off quick drafts, to force the fire to burn slowly and evenly as possible, and so cause combustion to last as long as possible. This method of "banking a fire" is commonly resorted to in countries where milder winters and less abundant supplies of anthracite make hard coal furnaces rare and costly.

At the same time it is quite possible that the housewife will prefer to let her fire out every night and save the labor of banking and raking out the plentiful supply of ashes which will have formed by morning.

With soft coal it is a matter of a few minutes only to get the fire going and the kettle boiling for breakfast. It kindles nearly as easily as shavings and the cokes of the previous fire does not have to be removed from the fire pot. All that is necessary is to shake down the fine ash and make the new fire upon what remains.



They Say.

The "Jim Crow" Committee of the Grand Army Encampment has gone with Weller.

The Democratic party in Maryland will not capture the colored vote.

The officer's club is being frequently used.

Judge Kimball gave the officers a lecture in the Police Court on Monday.

There is one way to succeed and that way is to do what is right.

There are times when one should smile.

What has become of the leading negroes.

If any one can tell what the Business Men's League accomplished at Richmond, The Bee will second the motion.

The negro in America is a peculiar being. He never knows when he is hurt.

He may be able to distinguish between right and wrongsome day.

If you are certain in what you do, don't hesitate in doing it.

The so-called independent movement in Maryland is a bubble.

Mr. Pearrie will be elected in November the independent movement to the contrary notwithstanding.

It is so strange that no colored man can be appointed in the Police Court.

Some people can never see any good in the negro.

There should be a change in the lieutenantancy of the 8th precinct.

It is always best to hear both sides of all questions before you come to a conclusion.

A good citizen is one who knows how to treat his fellow man.

A bird never flies so high that he is not compelled to come to the ground for food.

Never do anything in anger because you may do an injury to your self.

The noblest man in the world is he who is humane in his soul.

The next House of Representatives is in doubt.

The Colored American sees no of fee in sight, hence it put on an independent dress last week.

It is not certain how the negro will vote next fall.

Trimmers and apologists always put on peculiar uniforms.

The Bee knows its duty and hence it needs no advice from trimmers.

Colored delegates from the South will be scarce in the next Republican Convention.

The Bee will not be surprised if Georgia does not follow Alabama and North Carolina.

This is a world of deception and false doctrines.

There was not much danger in the Washington contingent being lost in the shuffle at Birmingham, Ala.

Don't be alarmed at the next political bomb that goes off.

Speaker Henderson had some reason for declining the nomination.

There will be some hot times in the next National Republican Convention.

Be truthful and then you will never go astray.

This is an age of surprises and don't you forget it.

Be what you are nothing more will be expected of you.

False faces are dangerous masks and often lead to destruction.

Cheatham will be heard from shortly and in a surprising manner.

Booker Washington loves notoriety.

President Roosevelt in his efforts to make him a leader will not succeed.

The negroes will select their own leader.

Read The Bee if you want a true Colored American and a correct Record of events.

His Face to the Enemy.

Yeast—They say liquor is that fellow's worst enemy.

Crimsonbeak—Yes; and he never believed in turning his back on an enemy.—Yonkers Statesman.

Parliamentary Procedure.

Reformer—I wish I could do something practical to improve the morals of the neighborhood in which I live.

Cynical Person—Can't you move to amend it?—Chicago Tribune.

Method in Her Madness.

"What on earth do you mean," her mother asked, "by urging your husband to get one of those outrageously high-priced Panama hats? Are you crazy to encourage such extravagance?"

"I shall want some more hats from time to time myself, mamma dear," the sweet young woman replied, "and he has always kicked so at the prices I pay."

"My darling! You always was such a hand for lookin' ahead. Let me kiss you."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Strained Position.

The fellow who wants to hold office in quite a dilemma is found—He can't keep his nose to the grindstone and also his ear to the ground.—N. Y. Times.

A Case in Point.

Mrs. Manning—John, I believe you are the biggest liar in the world. The fact is, you don't care a fig for me, or you wouldn't try to deceive me all this time. There was a time when you said I was the best and sweetest woman on earth.

Mr. Manning—And you believed it. Then why can't you believe the little fibs I tell you now?—Boston Transcript.

Positively Brutal.

Wife—I wonder if I could get a silk waist to suit my complexion?

Husband—Sure. Cutt & Slash are advertising hand-painted silks.—Chicago Daily News.

Almost Too Generous.

Patience—Is your minister liberal in his views?

Patrice—Oh, yes; he often preaches for two whole hours.—Yonkers Statesman.

He Knew Her.

Mrs. Gabbleton (at the seashore)—Must I keep my mouth closed while in the water?

Gabbleton—Yes, if possible.—Chicago Daily News.

When Raze Queen Bess Was Gay.

Sir Walter Raleigh laid his cloak in the puddle in order that Queen Elizabeth might pass over dry shod. As it was a little affair he had imported from the Bowery on his last trip abroad, the Virgin queen heard it a block off, so was able to find the spot without difficulty.

"Well done," cried a courtier, applauding the act.

"No," replied Queen Bess, "not well done, but Raleigh!"

At this her train declared they would laugh their heads off, knowing their heads would certainly come off if they didn't laugh.—N. Y. Times.

Essential Principle Lacking.

"So I am the fourteenth man that has proposed to you this year, am I?" the young man said, pale with chagrin and mortification. "I suppose I ought to go and suggest to the others that we get up a lovers' trust. There certainly are enough of us."

"I don't see how you could do that, Harold," she said, softly. "The community of interests' idea would be wholly lacking."—Chicago Tribune.

A Reproof.

She (walking home from church)—Did you notice that lovely Parisian hat Mrs. Styler was wearing? I could think of nothing else the whole time.

He—No, my dear, can't say I did. To tell you the truth, I was half asleep most of the time.

She—Then you ought to be ashamed to own it. A nice lot of good the service must have done you, I must say.—Ally Sloper.

Superstitions About Birds.

Upon the graves of the dead in Turkish cemeteries little vessels of water are placed for the benefit of the birds, and some of the marble tombs have basins chiseled out for the same purpose, the superstition being that birds carry messages about the living to the dead, and like everybody else in Turkey, are suspected of being spiteful unless something is done to curry their favor.—London Chronicle.

The Art of Conversation.

Conversation should not be monologue. Do not start stories, which, like those in the "Arabian Nights," cannot be told in one evening. Suggestion in conversation is everything. The charm of conversation is the unexpected.

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ESAU, THE MAN APE.

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Shakes Hands with Visitors, Gives Impersonations of Mr. Dooley and Mrs. Carrie Nation and Almost Talks.

Esau, the man ape, made his New York debut the other day at the Victoria hotel, in the presence of ten physicians, twelve reporters and a humorist. He is a baby, according to his friend and instructor, Capt. De Lancer, although an infant sufficiently sophisticated to drink claret punch and to wear a dress suit with more or less grace. He is 3½ years old, and he has a gold tooth with a diamond in it. Esau talks in high-caste chimpanzee. If he had the opportunity he would sell his birthright for a bottle of claret. The sight of red wine causes him to smile from ear to ear.

He appeared in a dress suit of the same cut as that affected by his trainer. He was a little drowsy at first, a fact which, Mr. Louis B. Beck, his director general, explained, was due to the fact that he had recently come from Philadelphia.

In appearance Esau is strangely human. The chimpanzee has the same number of bones as a man; his features, with the exception of the nose, which is rudimentary, are fairly well developed. His forehead is unusually high for an animal, and the fact that he has brain power was demonstrated by many tricks and feats which he performed. His nearness to the human family was shown by his appreciation of stimulants and by the longing glances which he bestowed upon cigars and cigarettes.

Esau is about four feet high and walks practically erect. The physicians who examined his knees said that the formation of the patella indicated that he was intended to walk in an upright attitude. He sat in a chair, whispered confidential remarks to his keeper, ate a banana with a knife and fork, poured out his tea and spoiled the decoration of the fragrant herb with sugar and cream in the most approved occidental style. The crea-



ESAU EATS DINNER. (Uses Knife and Fork and Dresses Like a Society Swell.)

ture used a napkin, placed his knife and fork methodically on his plate when he had finished his repast, and then picked his teeth with his elbow on the table, just as some men do in boarding houses.

Capt. De Lancer is authority for the statement that Esau can say "papa" when he has a parrot for a linguistic pacemaker. The explorer has taken some records of chimpanzee talk, and he says that when the phonograph is working Esau carries on a conversation with the cylinder in his own language. The creature is a little tongue-tied. He utters a sound which sounds like "well, well!" whenever he sees anybody who strikes his attention.

Of the company which attended his reception a humorist seemed most to impress Esau. He struck the purveyor of fun upon his ample waistcoat and repeated the blows with both hands, chuckling all the while, until the man was constrained to get out of range. The remark that Esau had sold his birthright for a mess of potash is said to have precipitated this attack.

Much distress was experienced by a member of the medical profession when he saw the chimpanzee drink claret punch with every evidence of enjoyment.

"I perceive," said he to the captain, "that you are teaching him the use of two bad adjuncts of civilization—rum and toothpicks. I suggest that cold water is sufficient."

"The fact is," replied the captain, "that he needs a little stimulant of a mild kind in this climate. I shall not permit him to fill a drunkard's grave." Esau left his chair and hastened to a table, where there was a large bowl of punch, and held up a cup for a supply of the liquid. He received about two teaspoonsful, which he drank in haste. He then gave costume impersonations of Mr. Dooley and Mrs. Carrie Nation.

After his performance he held an afternoon tea and reception. Esau shook hands with all, with the exception of two or three persons whom he seemed to dislike at first sight. When the humorist took a seat by the chimpanzee's chair Esau devoted himself exclusively to him. He patted the resplendent waistcoat, placed his arms around the man's neck, stroked his hair, slapped him on the shoulder, and occasionally spoke volubly in the simian patois. When his new acquaintance rose to depart Esau shook hands with him several times and waved farewell. It is the belief of the captain that Esau can be taught to speak English in time. Esau was captured in the Congo Free State when a baby, in the summer of 1900.

MASTER OF CEREMONIES.

Time is at Hand When Such an Official is Absolutely Needed at the White House.

The necessity for an official "master of ceremonies" to be connected with the state department, and whose services would be at the command of the chief executive, is becoming more and more apparent, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Every foreign visitor's reception, every state dinner, every public exercise participated in by the president, and the congress emphasizes this necessity. The necessity is apparent at the big state funerals held at the national capital. The United States supreme court is jealous of its dignity and rank. The diplomatic corps is even more so. Individual members of the corps insist that the prerogatives of precedence be observed to the letter. The supreme court insists that, as one of the highest



MAJ. C. L. McCawley. (Official Now in Charge of White House Entertainments.)

coordinate branches of the government, its members should rank with the members of the diplomatic corps. Members of the corps believe, because they are the personal representatives of their sovereigns or governments, they should rank next to the president of the United States. Embarrassments multiply at every state function. If a state dinner is to be given at the white house half a dozen officials of the state department must give hours of study to the relative rank of the guests to be invited and determine in what order they shall be seated. It is even necessary to trace the lineage of some of these diplomats of apparently equal rank back for two generations to discover which should rank the other.

Maj. Pruden, who died a few weeks ago and who was one of the assistant secretaries to the president, made a specialty of such things, but with his death his accumulated knowledge and experience was lost. At the funeral of Admiral Sampson the difference between the United States supreme court and the diplomatic corps were so grave that it became necessary to seat them respectively in seats exactly the same distance from the front and on opposite sides of the central aisle of the church where the ceremonies were held. This seemed to solve the problem until they each contended that they should be seated on the side of the aisle where the president and his cabinet were seated. A compromise had to be effected. The democratic tendency of the people in this country oppose them to a master of ceremonies. The republic of France has such a functionary, and the republic of the United States may have to come to it some day.

REAR ADMIRAL O'NEIL.

American Naval Officer Who Has Just Been Signally Honored by the German Emperor.

Rear Admiral Charles O'Neil, who, upon the personal invitation of Emperor William, will visit, with a special escort, all the shipbuilding yards and arsenals of Germany, is now in



ADMIRAL O'NEIL. (American Naval Officer Who is the Guest of Emperor William.)

Berlin as a delegate to the international shipbuilding convention. He is one of the most distinguished officers of the navy, and since 1897 has been chief of the naval bureau of ordnance. The admiral entered the navy in 1861 as master's mate on the Cumberland, and was present at the capture of Fort Hatteras and Clark in August of that year. He fought in the famous engagement with the Merrimac in 1862, and on that occasion rescued Lieut. Morris from drowning. He was promoted to the rank of rear admiral in April, 1901.

Long Sitting of Parliament.

The longest recorded sitting of the British house of commons was in 1851. On Monday, January 31, 1851, the house, having met at 3:45, continued sitting until Wednesday at 9:30—a continuous sitting of upward of 41½ hours. The next longest sitting occurred in 1877. On Tuesday, July 31, 1877, the house, having met at 3:45, continued sitting until Wednesday afternoon at 5:15, a period of 36½ hours.

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The Lily Whites.

Well, we have had a sample of the lily white political movement in the South and the result of the appointment of democrats to office, over good and worthy republicans. The theory of Booker T. Washington was no doubt a benefit to him, individually, but it was damaging to the negro and the republican party. The democratic party is unlike the republican party, it never misses an opportunity where it is presented notwithstanding the benefits it receives. Whoever was the father of the lily white move in the South, it is hoped that they are thoroughly convinced that they cannot make lambs out of tigers. It is a physical impossibility. The faithful colored republican South, has been ignored. The enemies of the republic and the party have succeeded them. The President was lead to believe that a white man's republican party South could be organized, if the negro could be eliminated from politics. The advisors of the President were demagogues and political tricksters. The faithful negro had no one at court but a trimmer and a pologist, who poses as the race's industrial benefactor. Those whom the negro republicans had made, in politics, joined the enemy, and formed a political combine. The North never looked upon the scheme with any admiration. The entire nation was being weighed in the balances, but the helpless southern negro was to submit calmly without a protest, with but one exception. The rebuke to the lily white party given to those who were behind this movement, is a just one. It is rebuke that will be handed down to posterity as the political earthquake of the twentieth century. It is hoped that no more efforts will be made to conciliate a southern democrat. The South has not submitted, but once, that was to a good thrashing. It is in need of a similar one it received from 61 to 65. There is no gratitude in a southern democrat and the republican party ought to be convinced of that fact by now. Ex-President Hayes tried it and failed. Ex-President Garfield tried it and failed. And it has been going down the line. The only way to make a southern democrat decent, is to make him obey the laws by which he is supposed to be governed. He must be given to understand, that the negro is a free American citizen and his rights, civil and political must be protected.

No wrong can be inaugurated that will oppress a people to satisfy a selfish ambition.

The colored voter is entitled to protection. He should be respected and his votes should be counted. The negro voter is not vindicated. He soon forgives and soon becomes willing to do for those who put him in chains. The negro never was seemingly displeased, prior to reconstruction as he is today. The Bee notices, in States where the negro votes the democratic ticket, he is not objectionable to the extent, as when he stands by the republican party. What has been given by the lily white movement South? Will some one rise and explain? North Carolina has given a greater rebuke to the movement than any other southern State. What makes it so significant is that Sen. Pritchard the champion of the principal of the lily white party South, has lost his State by such vote, that he will not be able to resurrect.

Senator Mason.

From the Chicago Conservator.

The Washington Bee has gone off half cocked again. It tells its readers that Senator Billy Mason has gone over to the Democratic party. This was stated as a fact in the daily papers a few days ago, but Mr. Mason entered his protest and denial which was given to the associated press and published all over this country and every body except Hopkins partisans and a few weak friends like the Bee who wanted an excuse for deserting the Senator accepted his statement as the end of all controversy. Hopkins hates the negro worse than the devil hates holy water. His party affiliation notwithstanding, and the negro that elects to wear his collar should be sent to hunt the North pole without the benefit of a priest.

The editor of the Conservator is never right on anything. He talks like the animal that converted Christ to Jerusalem. Whenever a man refuses to be lead into the democratic party, from the Conservator's standpoint he is "half cocked". THE BEE was with Senator Mason as long as he fought in the ranks of his party. THE BEE has never seen a recalcitration made by the distinguished Senator from Illinois. THE BEE has no favors to ask of Mr. Hopkins or anyone else from the State of Illinois. If Hopkins hates the negro the negroes of the state of Illinois do not repudiate him. Senator Mason is an excellent gentleman, he can only blame himself for defeat. THE BEE generally speaks for itself and where it commits an error it is not too proud to make the amends honorable. Some people like some animals, they have to be tamed as well as civilized before they can tell right from wrong.

Republicans Win.

The result of the elections on Tuesday was an evidence of the faith the people have in the party. Notwithstanding the disfranchisement of the negro many states gave great republican majorities where democrats should have gained. Perlehard was defeated in North Carolina which was a just rebuke to him for his ingratitude to the negro. THE BEE congratulates Messrs Sidney Mudd and Pearce. The opposition to these men did not amount to very much now that the republicans have control of the next house of representatives it is hoped that some legislation will be enacted to hold all people irrespective of color or condition. Senator Hanna is to be congratulated for his excellent victory in Ohio. Tom Johnson with his band and monkey display only united the republicans in Ohio. If the results are an indication of what 1902 will show, the democrats might as well hang their heads upon a willow tree.

The Black Republican.

From the Liberator, Los Angeles, Cal.

What is to become of the black republicans of this country is a mystery. With the republican party in full control of the national government, they have been completely stripped of their constitutional rights, trial by jury suspended both North and South. Wholesale lynchings are daily occurrence, burning at the stake with slow fires and untold torture have become so common that Republican papers deem them unworthy of comment. White republicans in the South disfranchise the black ones. They are driven from their homes in the republican states of Illinois and Indiana for the crime of being black, just as California drive out jack rabbits for destroying their orchards. What is to become of the black republican is becoming a serious question. Nobody cares for the black republican.

It is left with the black republican as to what will become of him. If he continues to allow selfish and arrogant men to use him to advance their own interests, he will remain where he is today. The black republican must be like the white republican in action and deeds. Support men and not parties; principles and men who represent principles.

When Did He Say So?

From the Macon Exponent.

When President Roosevelt was asked where he stood in reference to the "lily white" movement for the disfranchisement of Afro-American voters in the south, he replied: "I stand with Lincoln, Grant and Sumner." The Afro-American people can trust a president who stands with that immortal trio of true friends of the race.

The above is the general expression given out by almost the entire negro press. On no occasion have we seen the above statement alleged to have been said by President directly, appear over the

President's signature. The Negro press is whooping itself hoarse over what some interviewers are pleased to say for the President. The President expressed his views on the strike over his signature, why not as regards the negro and the treatment accorded him. Doubtless the interviewers, who called to see the President, all asked the question, and answered them.

As eager as the dailies of Washington are for every word the president utters, none could make me believe that so much was said by the president and only the interviewers were permitted to give to the negroes. To suppose that the president is ashamed or afraid to openly express himself concerning a people who form such a large part of the voting power, is something unreasonable. Clarkson in his letter speaks for himself and the president, but how much weightier will the whole matter be when the president speaks for him as a President.

The way to "smash" the trusts is to elect a Democratic President on a Free Trade platform. Then you will have a return of Grover Cleveland soup houses—no work for workmen and no trusts—no combinations of capital to move the hand of toil.—Buffalo "News."

The people have got enough of Cleveland. He is a black number and is like y t remain a loss for some time to come.

No Foundation.

The Court of Appeals has partly reversed the Police Court in the case of Page and Coffin a report of which will appear in another column of the Bee. The court states that there was no foundation for the prosecution.

The world is full of deception.

The ingrate seldom succeeds.

Some people get disappointed very often.

What is the matter with Hanna? He is all right.

Ohio went republican by one hundred thousand.

O never misses his friend until he is "pinched."

Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, Ohio, is now a dead duck.

Senator Mark Hanna is the greatest politician in the country.

Tammany returns to power with new vigor and with a smile.

Dave Hill with a united democracy failed to carry New York.

Senator Platt thinks that Odell would make a good presidential candidate.

Some of the best teachers are leaving the schools on account of so much favoritism.

Recorder J. O. Dancy is succeeding well. He has won the respect and confidence of the bar and citizens.

LUCKY DENVER WOMAN.

Found a Valuable Diamond in the Street Where She Had Lost It Five Years Before.

The luckiest woman in the west is Mrs. Anna M. Scott, of Denver, Col. Five years ago, in returning from a party, she lost a diamond earring worth \$200. In looking for something else a few days ago she found the diamond in the street where she had dropped it so long before.

Hundreds of persons had passed over the spot in the meantime. Rain and snow had buried the jewel in the sand, and at just the right time the rain again washed the diamond clean for Mrs. Scott to find it. Other persons had looked in vain, when it was lost years ago.

"I was not looking for it," said the owner. "I was looking for a little ring that my daughter thought she had lost. As I could not find the ring, I went over the ground rather carefully."

"Suddenly something sparkling caught my eye and then I cried right out loud: 'Why, there's my diamond!'"

"I was so surprised to see it that I could hardly believe that I was awake, or that it was 1902 instead of 1907."

CHINESE CANDIDATE.

Fig-Tailed Honolulu Lawyer Seeks Election to the Legislature of Hawaii.

The first full-blooded Chinese to be nominated for the office of representative in the legislature of any state or territory of the union is Ng Monwar, who has been nominated by the home rule, of native Hawaiian party, for member of the house of representatives in the legislature of Hawaii. He was nominated by the home rule convention for the Fifth representative district, receiving next to the highest number of votes cast in the convention for any one of the six candidates named.

NG. MONWAR.
(Chinese Candidate for the Legislature of Hawaii.)

His nomination has not been received by all sections of the party with approval, however, some native Hawaiians objecting on the ground that he is Chinese, and one of the other candidates, William Mossman, has refused to remain on the ticket if Ng Monwar does. Delegate Wilcox and Senator David Kaluokalani, who practically control the party, say that Ng Monwar will remain on the ticket.

Ng Monwar was born in the province of Canton in 1859. When he was 19 years old he went to San Francisco, where he attended school for a time, and later was engaged in clerical work. He became acquainted with the late Paul Neumann at this time, and was employed in Neumann's law office. In 1883 Neumann came to Hawaii to become attorney general of the kingdom of Hawaii, and Ng Monwar followed him a few months later, and began the study of law in his office.

When Neumann resigned the attorney generalship in 1886 and entered on the general practice of law, Ng Monwar became associated with him, bringing a great deal of business from Chinese clients to the office. This relationship continued until Neumann's death. Soon after that Ng Monwar was admitted to the bar by Judge Humphreys, and has since continued the practice of law on his own account. He represented, in connection with other attorneys, about \$1,000,000 of claims before the fire claims commission.

Ng Monwar's American citizenship comes from the fact that he was naturalized a subject of the king of Hawaii in 1890, which, by the terms of the act creating the territory of Hawaii, made him an American citizen. He is married, his wife being a Chinese woman, and they have one child, a son.

Ng Monwar, though an American citizen, still wears a queue, though he wears it unobtrusively, usually down his back inside of his collar and coat, so that ordinarily it would not be seen. In regard to this he says naively: "Washington, the first president of the United States, wore a queue, too." But his real reason is that his mother is still living in China, and he expects within a short time to go there to visit her. To go to her without a queue, he says, would wound her sensibilities and be looked upon there as filial impiety. When he returns from this visit to his mother he says he intends to cut off his queue.

WANTS TO BE SPEAKER.

Cleveland (O.) Congressman Has Ambition to Become Republican Leader of the House.

Theodore E. Burton, republican congressman from the Twenty-first (Cleveland) Ohio district, and candidate for reelection, is chairman of the rivers and harbors committee of the federal house and will be a candidate for the speakership to succeed Col. Henderson.

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There is neither thunder nor lightning within the arctic circle.

MISS LAURA BIGGAR.

Sticks to It That She Was Married to H. M. Bennett.

Writes from Her Seclusion to Deny Any Conspiracy—New Jersey Authorities Unable to Locate Missing Actress.

Laura Biggar is still in hiding. The authorities have searched unceasingly for the former actress, who is charged with others with forming a gigantic conspiracy to obtain the late millionaire Henry M. Bennett's millions. Warrants are out for her arrest in New Jersey, but for over a month she has eluded all efforts of the officers to apprehend her. It is alleged that there is a bogus baby and a trumped-up marriage certificate, and the heirs of the late millionaire assert that she was never married to Bennett at all.

The woman sticks to it that she was married, and avows she is not money mad, but fighting for a recognition of her marriage. She has sent a communication out from her place of hiding in which she tells her side of the story. She makes allegations of a startling nature, and writes vigorously in her own defense. She says:

"I am not hiding, and I have no fear of arrest. I have done nothing that the whole world is not free to know. I am looking for nothing that I am not justly entitled to.

"I am charged with conspiracy, but the conspiracy is all on the other side. It is claimed that I was not the wife of Mr. Bennett, and that Samuel Stanton, a justice of the peace, swore falsely that he had married us. It is also claimed that Dr. C. C. Hendricks testified to a lie when he said that I gave birth to a child after Mr. Bennett's death, while I was in the sanitarium. They claim that these two gentlemen and myself made up the story of the marriage, and the baby, in order to render void Mr. Bennett's will, which left me about 60 per cent. of his estate. They claim that I was not satisfied with this; that I was money mad, and wanted all.

"To begin with, I am not money mad. I am not as young as I once was, and all I have to live for is my son, who is 15 years old. I am perfectly satisfied

MISS LAURA BIGGAR.
(Actress Charged with Conspiracy to Defraud Bennett Heirs.)

with the terms of the will, and I do not want it broken. If it were broken, I would have the use of Mr. Bennett's estate all my life, but when I die my son would inherit nothing. I am troubled with my heart, and realize that I may be called to the next world at any time. I want the will to stand, and should feel that I had lost a great deal if it were broken.

"My only object in bringing legal proceedings was to establish my marriage to Mr. Bennett, my right to his name and the legitimacy of the child, now dead, that I bore after his death. My chief object in this was to save my boy from the disgrace which might otherwise attach to him if it were believed that Mr. Bennett and myself were not man and wife. For my own sake, also, I wished my neighbors to know the truth. I realized that I might stand on the house-tops and proclaim my marriage, but that no one would believe me unless the facts were backed up by legal proof.

"And now let me tell you about my marriage. I had known Mr. Bennett for 12 years. He had come to see me play and had tried to make love to me many times, but he had a wife living, and I refused his advances. Two months after his wife died he came to me and asked me to marry him. He told me, what I believe was the truth, that he had fallen in love with me when he first saw me, and that now there was no bar to our union. He was a man of many admirable qualities mixed in with his faults, and after I had considered the matter carefully I agreed to marry him. We drove to Justice Stanton's house, and he married us.

"I should have greatly preferred to have the marriage made public at that time, but Mr. Bennett was afraid that it would cause a scandal and much criticism, because his wife had been dead so short a time. He made me promise to keep the marriage secret.

"I was with Mr. Bennett almost continuously for more than a year before his death. He would not have a trained nurse near him. He wanted me. If I dozed off to sleep sitting in a chair at his bedside, he would call to me: 'Mamma, wake up. I can't sleep, and I don't see why you should.' He had a house full of servants, and an excellent cook, but he insisted on my cooking his meals and bringing them up to him. I have seen him when one of the servants brought him food throw it, dishes and all, to the floor, and then order me to go down and get him something."

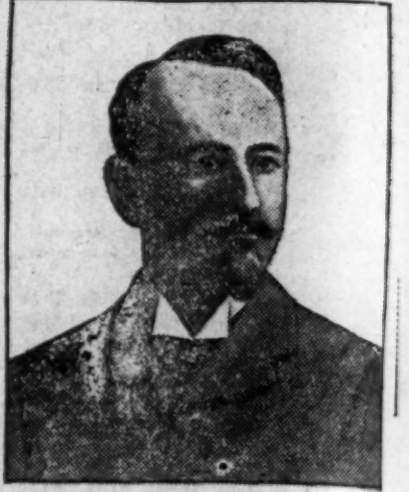
Aurora Takes Their Place.

There is neither thunder nor lightning within the arctic circle.

HON. DAVID S. ROSE.

Democratic Candidate for Governor of Wisconsin Is a Believer in Hard Work.

Mayor David S. Rose, thrice mayor of Milwaukee, now the nominee for governor of Wisconsin on the democratic ticket is a man of virility, tactful, graceful, a fine orator, with a splendid physique and a commanding presence. He is a vigorous fighter where fighting is deemed expedient. He is well aware that honesty is the best policy, but once said that "Dying for principle is all rot." Mayor Rose has a great love for pleasure and is willing that all the people should get

HON. DAVID S. ROSE.
(Democratic Candidate for Governor of Wisconsin.)

just as much juice out of the orange of life as may be possible. He is accounted a "good fellow." He is essentially a politician, but one far above the average. What the future and its duties may develop in him remains to be seen. He has always arisen to the occasion and has shown his ability to cope with each new situation. He has proved his power to expand with each occasional demand.

Mayor Rose was born in the town of Darlington, Wis., and has been by birth and training a thorough bader. At the age of 17 he began the study of law. He was elected mayor of Darlington in 1883 and in the same year was a delegate to the democratic national convention in Chicago. He was chosen county judge of Lafayette county the next year, in which capacity he served three years. He was defeated for city attorney in 1890 and for congress in 1894. He was chosen mayor of Milwaukee in 1898, reelected in 1900 and again last spring was the successful candidate. Mayor Rose is an indefatigable worker. He counts no labor too great to accomplish his ends and is conducting a strong campaign. He is a lover of good horses and no sight is more familiar in Milwaukee than that of Mayor and Mrs. Rose in a spanking turnout riding behind blooded horses. Two children in the Rose home are endowed with talent and good sense. Earl, the son and the elder, is in the University of Wisconsin.

CHIMNEY SWEEP DOG.

Interesting Animal Is Used by Its Astute Owner to Make Himself Generally Useful.

Perhaps the only dog in the United States that assists its master in cleaning sooty chimneys is "Watch," an eight-year-old mixture of rat terrier and ordinary cur, owned by P. H. Shoemaker, a professional chimney sweep of Fond du Lac. Shoemaker says that he and Watch have been in partnership for about a year, but he has kept it quiet, not caring to have the humane society interfere with his business.

In speaking of himself Shoemaker said to a Milwaukee Sentinel reporter:

WATCH AND HIS MASTER.
(Dog Master all Assists Chimney Sweep in His Duties.)

"I have been doing sweep work for 20 years and have been in almost every city in the nation. Some years ago I located here and quit traveling and wearing a uniform, but I am the only licensed sweep this side of Milwaukee, and there ain't many of them there. I got hold of a hard chimney one day and the idea occurred to me that I might work the dog into the business. I secured a rope and tied it just behind his shoulders and dropped him down the flue. It was a great success. The poor fellow kicked and clawed hard, thereby loosening the soot, something I could not have accomplished any other way. He is now trained so that he will go down any old chimney, and I no sooner commence work on one than he jumps up and whines to help me. I draw him up occasionally and give him fresh air. He holds his eyes shut just as you or I would do, and that's the reason he looks so sleek—as if he'd never done a day's work in his life. Humane people will interfere now; usually something happens when a feller gets a good thing worked up."



motions and leave questions of importance to the body to decide. He did not like the idea of good men being removed from office.

Editor Chase thought it was the duty of an Editor to speak out and not allow himself to be controlled by cliques and factions. Condemned wrong whenever it was found.

Mr. H. H. Nailor drove Grand Secretary Wilde and Charles Brooks to the depot Saturday Nov. 1st. who took the 12 o'clock train for Baltimore, Md. Mr. David Clark, who is a genial companion, went as far as Baltimore, Md., with them.

Monday evening last a grand testimonial concert was given at Zion Baptist Church on F street between 3rd and 4th streets, southwest, for the benefit of Prof. E. W. Scott the efficient director of the church under the auspices of which the concert was given. The choir was ably assisted by some of Washington's favorite vocalists, instrumentalists and elocutionists.

The Epworth League choir of Ebenezer M. E. Church, Prof. Esau Williams director, and Mount Moriah Baptist Church choir, Prof. R. Holmes, director. At 8:15 the concert opened with a grand organ voluntary by Prof. R. J. Daniels. Invocation by Rev. Wm. James Howard, pastor of the church. The program proceeded as follows: Chorus selection by Epworth League, choir Prof. Williams, director, solo, "I Love You Dear and Only You," Mrs. L. Hodge, solo selection, Mrs. A. Landon; solo, "One Heart Divine," Mr. Robert Ashton; solo selection, Miss Robinson, basso solo, "Deep in the Mine," Dr. R. E. Plummer solo, "White Squall," Mr. A. B. McKenney, solo "Near My God to Thee," Mrs. Florence Nixon, quartette, "The Fortune Teller," Misses L. Tyler, Ida Contee, Mr. T. Walker and Dr. R. E. Plummer select reading, "The Shipwreck," Mr. Nathaniel Guy, solo selection Prof. Henry Lewis, solo, "A Bunch of Wild Roses," Miss Jennie Scipio, piano solo selection, Miss J. D. Somerville, chorus, "See Ye the Lord," Mt. Moriah Baptist Church choir, Prof. R. Holmes director, solo, "Happy Birds," Mrs. F. C. Smiler, solo, "I'll Follow Thee," Miss Estelle Pritchett, duet, "Under the Bamboo Tree," Miss Laura Tyler and Prof. Joseph Lewis, select reading Miss Mary Wilson, solo, "The Vanguard of the King," Mr. Thomas Walker, chorus, "Inflamatus," by Epworth League choir, quartette, "Friendship, Love and Song," Misses M. L. Jones and Lettie Alexander and Messrs. Will Green and Edward Luckett, solo, "A Vision of Paradise," Mr. Randolph Edwards, solo selection, Prof. Joseph Lewis, chorus, "Goodnight, Farewell," Zion Baptist Church choir, Prof. Edw. Scott, director. The accompanist for this occasion were Mrs. J. T. Newman, Misses Grace Daniels, Mary Wilson and Messrs. Edw. Walton and F. Green. Ushers: Misses Sarah Johnson, Mary Wilson, Rosa Douglas, Pickney Phillips, Mamie Payne, Marion Green, J. Dangerfield, Mamie Branson, Mary Farley, May Scott, Lottie Watts and Mesdames E. Harrod, Ella Coleman and Peterson. The officers of the church choir are Samuel Grantly, pres.; Miss Louise Hodge, vice pres.; Mrs. Francis Ellis, sec'y.; Miss Mamie Branson, ass't. sec'y.; Prof. R. J. Daniels, organist; Miss Jennie Scipio, ass't. organist; Prof. E. W. Scott, director; Mr. W. Hurd, ass't. director; Rev. W. J. Howard, pastor. The solo by Mrs. F. C. Smiler and Miss Jennie Scipio, Dr. Plummer and Messrs. Joseph Lewis, Henry Lewis, Joseph Newman and Thomas Walker were exceptionally well rendered and for their splendid work they were liberally rewarded with encores and beautiful flowers. When Miss Estelle Pritchett concluded the last line in Henry Farmer's "I'll Follow Thee" the applause was simply deafening and lasted fully five minutes. She literally took the house by storm and was compelled to return again to thrill the vast audience with her sweet voice. In his interpretation of "The Shipwreck" Mr. Nathaniel Guy added another very large and resplendent star to his crown as a dramatist and accomplished elocutionist. He was vociferously encored and called back when he gave some imitations of the small school boy in his first attempt to make a speech. Well, no one had prepared for an explosion, but it came all the same. The audience roared with laughter. "Under the Bamboo Tree" by Miss Laura Tyler and Mr. Joseph Lewis and "The Fortune Teller" by Misses Tyler and Contee, Mr. Walker and Dr. Plummer were mirth provoking to say the least and must be seen to be fully appreciated.

"Do you believe in hypnotism?" asked the young man who never needs the flight of time.

"Yes, indeed," answered Miss Cayenne, "where there are people who can put me to sleep simply by talking to me."—Washington Star.

A Gentle Hint.
Lenders—Do you ever think of that "ten-spot" you borrowed of me? Borrowers—Don't worry. I still have it in mind.

Lenders—Don't you think it about time you relieved your mind?—Philadelphia Press.

The Doctor Talks Back.
"Why, there are physicians in Germany who charge only two cents for a consultation and four cents for a visit," said the mean man.

"Well, if they always get that much, they beat me," said the doctor.—Yonkers.

Oyster Bed in a Well.
Robert Douglas, a colored man of Paris, Tex., has an oyster bed in his well. Two years ago he brought home an oyster which was covered with little oyster shells, and one of his children threw it into the well. Now the bottom of the well is an oyster bed, and often the well bucket is found covered with young oysters.

MISS ELINOR WILSON.

Charming Delaware Girl Who Is Said to Be Beloved by the Crown Prince of Siam.

Miss Elinor Wilson, with whom the young crown prince of Siam is said to have fallen in love during his stay in Washington, is the eldest daughter of Gen. James H. Wilson, in whose company she witnessed the recent coronation of King Edward VII.

Miss Wilson is an exceedingly attractive girl, and has figured in many



MISS ELINOR WILSON.
(Beautiful American Girl Who Is Adored by Siam's Crown Prince.)

social triumphs in Wilmington, Del., her home, and in the national capital. Since the death of her mother, an event which has sent a tragic shadow athwart her life, Miss Wilson has shared with her pious sister Katherine the duties of hostess in her father's home.

Her mother, it will be remembered, was, in April, 1900, burned to death in Matanzas, Cuba, of which province Gen. Wilson was military governor.

While returning home from the palace Mrs. Wilson stepped on a match in her carriage, and her clothing becoming ignited, she received burns from which she died.

LONDON'S NEW MAYOR.

Sir Marcus Samuel Calls Attention of Electors to the Fact That He Is a Jew.

For a year after November 9 the city of London will have a Jewish lord mayor. Sir Marcus Samuel, who was formally elected by the so-called livery of London, called attention to the fact in his address to his electors. Referring doubtless to the situation in Roumania, he said: "I am not unmindful of the fact that it is not everywhere that members of my persuasion enjoy the same liberty as thank God—prevails in England."

Sir Marcus is set down in the formal biographies as a spectacle maker,



SIR MARCUS SAMUEL.
(Jewish Merchant Who Will Be London's Mayor Next Year.)

which is a trifle misleading. The lord mayor elect doubtless never made a pair of spectacles in his life, nor did any of his fathers before him. The term is intended to signify simply that he belongs to the haughty and powerful guild known as the Spectacle-makers' company. Sir Marcus is one of the great city bankers and rich. He will get a salary exactly equal to that of the president of the United States, and will have to spend almost twice as much on banquets, formalities, ceremonials and general gorgeousness.

One of the brightest and most famous of American newspaper correspondents came to London recently with an elaborate schedule of articles all laid and ready to write. One of them was headed something like this: "Interview with the mayor of London; how he rules the greatest city on earth." That was delicious. The lord mayor, however, has no more to do with "ruling the greatest city on earth" than if he were mayor of Hoboken. The actual resident population of his city is something like 15,000, and its total area is one square mile. And even at that, he has nothing to do with ruling over it. It happens, however, that his little patch of territory in the middle of greater London contains the banking district and used to be the undisputed financial center of the world until Wall street rose up to contest honors with it. So it is entitled to pay \$50,000 a year for the sake of having a gorgeous figurehead.

The real London—the London of 5,000,000 inhabitants—wonders along without any mayor at all, unless the chairman of the London county council could be called by that name.

Biggest Radish on Record.
The biggest radish known was raised this season by W. M. Matlock, of Liberty, Washington county, Mo. It weighed five pounds, was 11½ inches in circumference, and 21 inches in length. The seed was sent to him by the agricultural department.

CURIOUS LITTLE TALES.

Sir Frederick Pollock, an English jurist of high standing, is desirous of obtaining some possible international difficulties hereafter. He desires that the European powers shall formally recognize and indorse the Monroe doctrine.

Bishop Cecil Wilson, the other day at Portsmouth, England, captained a cricket eleven made up of the local clergy against a team of officers chosen from the Royal Marine artillery. The bishop's side won, making 122 runs, of which he contributed 18.

When Representative DeArmond, of Mississippi, was in the Philippines, he took a number of snapshot pictures. After he had developed and mounted them he put this indorsement on each card: "Made by the firm of David A. DeArmond & Son."

Congressman Mercer, while making the rounds of one of the departments last week, asked a subordinate how he liked his chief and was told that the official in question never gave any trouble, but always signed everything submitted to him. Mr. Mercer doubted this, whereupon the subordinate offered to bet a box of cigars that the chief would sign his own resignation. A document of the required character was slipped into a pile of letters and laid on the chief's desk. In a few minutes the correspondence was brought back and it was found that Mr. Mercer lost the cigars.

The Seal of Courtesy.
She—Was papa kind to you?
He—Oh, very considerate. After he got through with me he rang for an ambulance.—Town Topics.

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Latest Thing in Meters.

A telephone meter has been invented by Thomas Baret, of Sydney, N. S. W. It begins to record time the moment the telephone is used, and ceases when the receiver is hung up. The object is to make each patron pay for the exact time he has used it, and not for the number of messages.

Town of Morphine Finds.

Morphine is used extensively in the town of Juana Diaz, in Porto Rico. It is estimated by the insular board of health that out of the 2,547 inhabitants, 1,000 are victims of this terrible habit.

How She Does It.

"How do you braid your hair so nicely?" queried a gentleman who was visiting a lady friend. "Oh!" broke in her little sister, "she takes it off and ties the knot to the gas-chamber, and fusses over it two hours every morning."—Tit-Bits.

Bullets Made of Garnets.

Bullets made of precious stones are rarities in warfare. But during the fighting on the Kashmir frontier, when the British troops defeated the rebellious Hunzas, the natives used bullets of garnets in lead. The British preserved many as curiosities.

Still Keeps Strange Vow.

Among the Boer prisoners at Bergendia is one whose hair now reaches his shoulders. At the beginning of the war he vowed he would not have his locks cut until the Dutch had conquered in South Africa.

Some lakes are distinctly blue; others present various shades of green, so that in some cases they are hardly distinguishable from their level, grass-covered banks; a few are almost black. The Lake of Geneva is azure blue; the Lake of Constance and the Lake of Lucerne are green; the color of the Mediterranean has been called indigo. The Lake of Brienz is greenish yellow, and its neighbor, Lake Thun, is blue.

SEEN IN THE STORES.

Mauve and pink furniture is one of the latest artistic fancies—mauve wood, pink, satin, brocade and curtains shot with both colors and figured with flowers.

Pretty nut bowls of wood, decorated with burnt woodwork and resting on three short supports, are not only desirable but seem particularly adapted to the use intended.

One of the prettiest plants for home decoration shown by the florists is a begonia with delicate pale pink blooms that intermingle with the dark-green leaves in a way that delights the eye.

The newest side comb is the horse-shoe comb and comes in light and dark tortoise shell. Then there are combs with rope-coiled tops and jeweled evening combs that cost a small fortune.

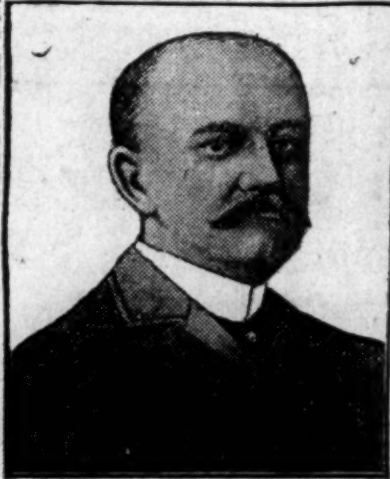
Superstitions concerning the opal have evidently died a natural death, if one may judge from the many that are shown. The demand for this lovely stone is steady, and though the Hungarian opals are the finest, many of lesser value are used as settings for brooches, rings, hatpins and stickpins and are much sought.

It is particularly noticeable in the china shops that the old-fashioned white china with gilt is becoming popular. These sets are almost duplicates of the old-fashioned "tea sets" of our grandmothers' early days, and come in the old-fashioned shapes, made of fine clear ware. Of course this ware is costly, and therefore the woman who has retained as a family heirloom her grandmother's set is fortunate.

PLEASES POLITICIANS.

Assistant Postmaster General's Order
Relating to Partisan Activity
of Office Holders.

The recent order of Assistant Postmaster General Wynne, defining the lengths to which postmasters may go in their desire to render service to the political party of their choice, is based upon a letter written by President Roosevelt, and therefore correctly interprets the views of the administration on this important question. Under some of the presidents, postmasters as well as other federal office holders, have practically been deprived of many of their inherent rights as citizens and required to maintain a pose of absolute neutrality and non-combative-



ROBERT J. WYNNE.
(First Assistant Postmaster General.)

ness in each succeeding political campaign.

According to President Roosevelt's way of thinking, however, the federal office holder has rights as a citizen and will be permitted, within certain broad lines, to exercise them. For instance, it will now be permissible for postmasters—and this ruling will apply to all federal employees—to join political clubs, attend political conventions as delegates, and should they desire to do so, to contribute to campaign funds. They ought not, however, in the president's judgment, to become unduly active in campaign work. In other words, he would not have them acting as the chairman of political conventions, or of campaign committee, or in any other way setting the pace within their parties as leaders. But as followers—high privates in the rear ranks of partisanship—they will have full rights and be protected in their exercise.

This new ruling is much more liberal than any that has been made on this question for many years, and it will be welcomed by thousands of postmasters, big and little, in all parts of the country.

WARREN B. KNISKERN.

Position of Passenger Traffic Manager
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It was announced recently from the Chicago & Northwestern railway headquarters that W. B. Kniskern had been promoted to the position of passenger traffic manager of the system, an office created for him.

Mr. Kniskern's long service in Chicago with the Northwestern and his connection with other railroad companies of the country have given him



WARREN B. KNISKERN.
(Passenger Traffic Manager Chicago & Northwestern System.)

a wide acquaintance. His standing in the railroad world has been of the highest.

His regular promotions from the small beginning as office boy to the head of the passenger department of the company with which he is now connected is an evidence of the ability and business qualifications which have won him his reputation.

Mr. Kniskern has devoted his entire business life to railway work. He was first with the Illinois Central railroad, by which he was employed as office boy in 1869. His first connection with the Chicago & Northwestern railway was from 1873 to 1876, during which period he filled various clerical positions with the general passenger and general ticket departments of that company.

From 1876 to September 1, 1885, he was employed by the Louisville & Nashville Railroad company at Louisville, Ky., and New Orleans. He re-entered the service of the Northwestern on September 1, 1885, coming to Chicago as assistant general passenger agent. He was appointed assistant general passenger and ticket agent January 1, 1890, and general passenger and ticket agent January 1, 1895. He has held the last named position up to the present.

PRESENT NAVAL FORCE.

Rear Admiral Taylor Declares That
Big Increase Must Be Made
Very Soon.

Forty thousand men will comprise the enlisted force personnel of the navy if Rear Admiral Henry C. Taylor, chief of the bureau of navigation, can bring it about. In his next annual report Rear Admiral Taylor will recommend a substantial increase in the number of men authorized by law. The limit of enlistments now fixed is 25,500, and while this is sufficient for the present needs of the navy, it will not be high enough to permit the commissioning of ships under construction and



ADMIRAL HENRY C. TAYLOR.
(Chief of the Bureau of Navigation at Washington.)

which congress will authorize in the next few years.

For the two battleships and two armored cruisers recently appropriated for 2,500 men will be required. For the 18 battleships built or under construction 9,805 men are required. Adding to this number the crews needed for the proposed battleships almost 11,000 men, nearly half of the present effective force, will be required to man this type of man of war alone.

When all the armored cruisers authorized are built the United States will possess ten of this class and they will require 7,197 men properly to care for and fight them. The line of battleships, therefore, must have 17,002 men in order to go into action. Besides these ships, crews must be provided for ten monitors, 27 cruisers, 46 gunboats, 60 torpedo boat destroyers and torpedo boats, and a number of auxiliary vessels.

Of course, all these vessels will not in time of peace be kept in commission, but a goodly proportion of them must be continued in service, and 40,000 men will be needed for them. Rear Admiral Taylor does not intend to recommend in his forthcoming annual report that the enlisted force be increased from 25,500 to 40,000 men. The increase he will suggest will be gradual, and will extend over a number of years.

At the same time the rear admiral believes the navy should have an ample number of men who can be trained in the serious business of war and be ready for action when the moment arrives.

Rear Admiral Taylor's views with respect to the increase of the enlisted personnel are understood to be in harmony with those entertained by the president and Secretary Moody. In his annual message the president is expected by the navy to repeat his recommendation for an increase not only of men but of officers.

CHARLES R. VAN HISE.

Probable Choice of the Regents for
the Presidency of the University
of Wisconsin.

Charles Richard Van Hise, who it is understood is slated for the presidency of the University of Wisconsin, is an American geologist of note and like-



CHARLES R. VAN HISE.
(Slated for the Presidency of the University of Wisconsin.)

wise an educator of proved and competent executive ability. Should he rise to this prominent position Prof. Van Hise will be one of the youngest of the important college presidents in the country. He is a native of Wisconsin, 45 years old and a classmate in the state university of Gov. La Follette. Immediately upon his graduation he was made a member of the teaching staff and somewhat later was appointed to the chair of geology, a post he has held up to the present time. Since 1883 Prof. Van Hise has had charge of the Lake Superior division of the United States geological survey. He is an author of several monographs that have won attention abroad and at home and in addition to all these scholarly attainments he is one of the most popular men in the university.

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Gents' 14k. Gold-filled Chains, \$2.00 warranted for five years' wear.
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Kitty—The idea! Of course not. A drenching shower came on all of a sudden.—Boston Transcript.

The Labor.
Elbows—I hear you have a political job. Is it hard work?
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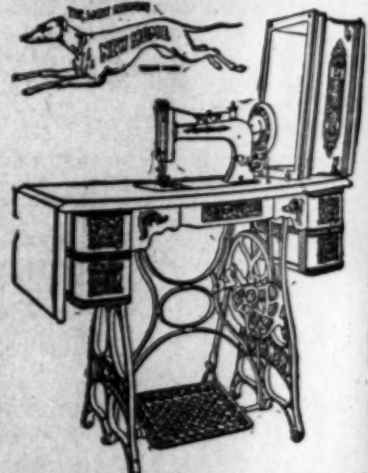
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City Items.

Mr. T. L. Jones will move in Le Droit Park.

Attorney Frank J. Bundy has put a telephone in his office.

Miss Effie Maria Middleton is sick at her home with intermittent fever.

Mr. and Mrs. James and daughter have removed to 1906 Vt. Ave., N. W.

Dr. Samuel Pease is the physician for the People's Insurance Company.

Dr. George H. Richardson left the city for Cleveland, Ohio, last week where he voted.

Rev. S. L. Corrothers will preach at the 10th st. Baptist Church the third Sunday in next month in the evening.

The Board of Education has at last promoted on merit. Trustee Bundy is entitled to the credit of doing his duty and promoting teachers who deserve to be promoted.

Ex-Governor P. B. S. Pinchback was taken sick in a big demonstration tendered him in Toledo, O. He broke down about the beginning of his speech. It was one of the largest meetings held during the campaign.

Mr. E. Murray assumed charge of the Treasury Department Cafe on last Monday. The consensus of opinion is that he is given better service than all previous caterers.

National organizer C. C. Curtis, of the Personal Liberty League will be tendered a complimentary testimonial at the Foster's Cafe 20th and T sts. Monday evening Nov. 12. This occasion being the 46th birth day anniversary of Mr. Curtis. Covers will be laid for 50. Mr. Phil. Waters of W. Virginia, politician and orator will be the toast master.

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That the subscriber of the District of Columbia has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters of administration on the estate of Henry W. Haskins late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, legally authenticated to the subscriber, on or before the 25th day of October, A. D. 1923, otherwise they may be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 25th day of October 1923. Estelle R. Haskins 1529 12th street, northwest.
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HENRY JARVIS, SR., DEAD.

An Odd Citizen Passes Away.

Henry Jarvis, Sr., one of the oldest and most respected citizens of the District of Columbia died Oct. 31, '02, at 8 o'clock a. m. He was an employee of the State Department from Oct. 1866 to Oct. 31, 1902, a period of 36 years which position he held with much credit. He was also deacon of the 19th st. Baptist Church for over 40 years. None knew him but to love him and none spoke of him but in praise. At the general request of many friends his body laid in state in the 19th st Baptist Church from 1 until 2:30 o'clock on Sunday Nov. 2. The funeral exercises were conducted by the Rev. Walter Brooks, assisted by Revs. Howard, Shepard, Burke and several others. Very appropriate resolutions were read by Mrs. Julia Lytton, John R. Brown, Rev. Pinn and Miss Williams. The interment was at Harmony Cemetery.

Mr. Jarvis leaves three sons, Charles, Edward and Henry Jr. Excellent young men. Charles and Edward have lived out of the city for a number of years.

Speaking of several of the prominent delegates who attended the B. M. C. of the Grand United Order of Odd-Fellows, recently held at New Haven, Conn., the Odd Fellows' Journal has this to say of past Grand Master W. C. Martin:

"Martin of the District of Columbia seemed to be in complete harmony with the Grand Master, notwithstanding that little unpleasantness about the District Grand Mastership of the District of Columbia. He made a dignified chairman of his delegation."

Mr. Martin is an able, courteous and well known member of the District bar, and has the full confidence and respect of the judges of the various courts and the members of the bar. As an Odd-fellow he is the peer of any member of the order in America, and had the members of the order of the District of Columbia adopted his plans to pay for their hall, submitted to them while he was District Grand Master, they would not owe one dollar on it. Those Odd-fellows who said that Martin would not be seated in the B. M. C., that Grand Master Morris would not recognize him as chairman of the Washington delegation, that by reason of his being chairman the District would not get a representation and who to do a hundred and one other yams for the purpose of defeating him, should now close their mouths and go way back and sit down.

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His Appearance in a New Orleans Saloon Almost Paralyzed the Barkeeper—Sensation in Police Station.

There are men who eat with their fingers in the rude way of the forefathers, and men who shovel in pie with their knives, and also another class which uses the fork with the right hand, but, says the Picayune, a genius who uses neither of these ways of conveying his bread to his bread basket, nor his liquor to the place provided for such things, showed up in New Orleans some time ago.

There was nothing peculiar in the man's dress or in the way he walked up to the bar and called for a drink. The white-aproned genius behind the counter set out the poison just as he did for everybody else. At this the man produced a small tin funnel from his coat pocket and unwrapped a yard or two of rubber tube from around his neck and asked the barkeeper to kindly pour the whisky into the funnel. At first the mixologist believed somebody was handing him a practical joke, but the customer insisted and the whisky was poured in. The man waited a moment and then smacked his lips, remarking that the liquor was the genuine article and then walked out.

It was some time before the bartender could recover his breath, and in the meantime the man was out of range. But the man came around again the next day and had several drinks. The curiosity of the barman had reached the point where he could no longer control it, and he asked the strange customer what it was all about, and how it was he did not take his swig like the rest of mankind.

The man then said he had been a wanderer over the face of the earth for years, had originally come from Ohio, and because of disappointment in business and the breaking up of his home had gulped down a big dose of



WHISKY WAS POURED IN.

carbolic acid one day in the hope of reaching the other side in a hurry. He said he took enough to kill two or three people, but before the poison completed the job of delivering his soul to its last keeper, the unfeeling doctor had come along and brought back the fading life. But the operation cost him his swallowing apparatus, and he had been compelled to go through life eating his meals through a tube inserted in his throat. The man was a veritable show around the bar-room for some days, and also at a neighboring restaurant, where he used to get his meals. He usually ate a couple of soft-boiled eggs for breakfast. He also drank quantities of coffee, and all went through the funnel.

The people at the Central police station had a funny experience with the man. He got too much liquor one night, and was arrested and locked up. The only articles on his person were a funnel and a few dimes. The man had not been in the cell many minutes before he shouted for some one to bring him a drink of water. The jailer thought this was the usual request from the overheated patient, and told him there was a bucket of water in the cell and he could drink to his heart's content. But the man declared he could not drink without assistance, and finally the jailer went to him. The man then produced the funnel and requested that the water be poured in. The jailer nearly dropped dead, but he thought he would be obliging, and he complied. In the morning when the man repeated the operation at breakfast they began to realize that here was a freak proper.

So far as all the attributes of the throat and mouth are concerned the man has perfect control. He articulates as well as anybody, breathes as well as anybody, and there is not the slightest outward appearance of irregularity till eating and drinking time comes around, and then he had to show his hand, or his neck.

Diving Makes Men Cross. A professional diver says that one of the strange effects of diving is the invariable bad temper felt while working at the bottom of the sea. As this usually passes away as soon as the surface is reached, it is probably due to the pressure of the air affecting the lungs, and through them the brain. The exhilaration and good temper of the mountain climber is a contrary feeling, from an opposite cause.

Some University Statistics. Germans seem to be more eager for collegiate education than the people of other countries. In Germany one man in 213 goes to a university; in Scotland, one in 520; in the United States, one in 2,000, and in England, one in 5,000.

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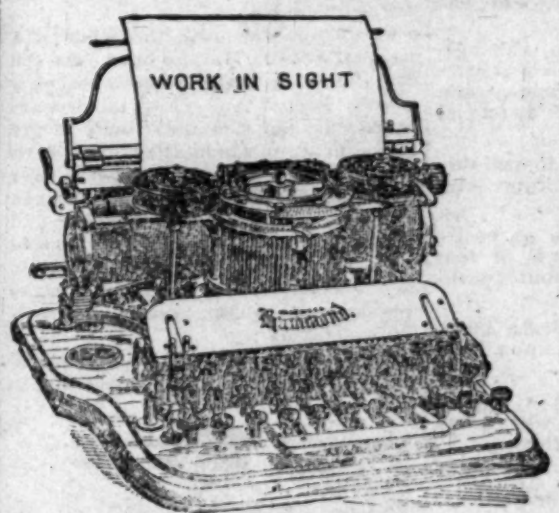
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